## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

MINES & MINERALS – Mining Lease for Lime Shell over an extent of 20.00 Acres in Sy.Nos.1409 of Utukur Village, Vidavalur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District held by Sri S.Sridhar - Declared as lapsed under rule 28 (1) of M.C.Rules, 1960- Orders – Issued.

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## INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No.126.

<u>Dated:17.11.2014</u>. Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.338, Ind & Com (M.I) Dept., dt.17.12.2005.

- 2. The Director of Mines and Geology, Government of A. P, Hyderabad File No.34329/R3-3/2013, Dt.24.10.2013.
- 3. Govt. Memo No.16235/M.I (2)/2013, Dt:12.11.2013.

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## ORDER:

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, Government have granted a Mining Lease for Lime Shell over an extent of 20.00 Acres in Sy.Nos.1409 of Utukur Village, Vidavalur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District in favour of Sri S.Sridhar and the Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Nellore has executed the lease on 04.03.2006.

- 2. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., Hyderabad has submitted proposals for lapsing the lease held by Sri S.Sridhar under Rule 28(1) of M.C.Rules,1960 for consideration of the Government on the ground that the mining lease is not working since 09.03.2008.
- 3. Government after considering the report of the Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., Hyderabad it was proposed to lapse the above mining lease held by Sri S.Sridhar and accordingly, a show cause notice was issued to the lessee in the ref. 3<sup>rd</sup> read above under Rule 28 (1) of M.C. Rules, 1960 as to why the Mining Lease held by him shall not be declared as lapsed, and submit his explanation/ representation within 15 days failing which duly construed that he has no explanation/ representation on the action proposed and further action will be taken on the material available with the Government.
- 4. It should be noted in this regard that mineral wealth is the wealth of the nation and should be put to use for public good. Government gave mining lease so that the lessee could do mining scientifically within the prescribed time limits and use the mined mineral. Such a mine would generate revenue for the State by way of taxes, employment for the local people and give boost to the overall economy of the region besides industrializing the area. None of theses objectives could be achieved due to the abject of the lessee.
- 5. Government after careful examination of the matter have decided to declare the Mining Lease for Lime Shell over an extent of 20.00 Acres in Sy.Nos.1409 of Utukur Village, Vidavalur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District held by Sri S.Sridhar as lapsed under Rule 28(1) of MC Rules,1960, as the lessee has failed to fulfill the lease conditions.

6. The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.S.V.PRASAD PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To Sri S.Sridhar, C/o U.Anjaneya Reddy, 27-1-153, 10<sup>th</sup> Cross Road, Pindimill Centre, Balajinagar, Nellore. SPSR Nellore (By RPAD).

The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., Hyderabad.(w.e.file)

Copy to:

The Zonal Joint Director of Mines & Geology, Ongole.

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The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur. 440001.

The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Jarkand.

The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.

SF/SCs.(C.No.16235/M.III(1)/2013)

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SECTION OFFICER